

# CASSIDY IN TEARS AS TRIAL ENDS

COMPLETE NOVEL EACH WEEK IN THE EVENING WORLD  
"THE MAIDS OF PARADISE," by Robert W. Chambers, BEGINS TO-DAY

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### LOOPS LOOP 14 TIMES IN AIR FOR KING GEORGE AND QUEEN; HAMEL HONORED FOR DARING

Aviator, on Royal Order, Does Death-Defying Act Over Windsor Castle.

WHILE RULERS WATCH.

Then Shoots to Ground—Is Received and Made Special Guest at Luncheon.

WINDSOR, England, Feb. 2.—Looping the loop fourteen times in mid-air, Aviator Gustav Hamel to-day was vigorously applauded by King George and Queen Mary, who saw his performance.

Hamel began his flight from Brooklands on a royal command, and when directly over Windsor Castle turned his machine earthward and rode downward many times, while the King and Queen and their suites looked on.

Thousands of the townsfolk watched the daring exhibition with the royal family.

When Hamel landed within the grounds he was congratulated by the King and Queen and invited to stay for luncheon, he being made the special guest at the affair.

Hamel, who has a world wide reputation for daring and remarkable feats, was the first aviator to pilot a woman across the English Channel.

His passenger was Mary Davis, who herself has won fame as a flyer. The start was made from Hendon, on the outskirts of London, at 9.35 o'clock, on April 2, 1912. Hamel immediately shooting his machine 2,000 feet up in the air. At 11.15 o'clock the aeroplane, with Miss Davis and Hamel, crossed over Dover and began the passage across the Channel, still flying sky high.

It had been Hamel's intention to pass over Boulogne and make for Paris. He changed his mind after approaching Boulogne and alighted at noon at Saint Inglevert, not far from Boulogne.

### WILLIAMS IS CHOSEN WATER COMMISSIONER

City Hall Credits Report of His Appointment by Mayor Mitchell.

William Williams, Commissioner of Immigration, has been appointed by Mayor Mitchell to be Commissioner of the Department of Water, Gas and Electricity, according to an accredited report at the City Hall.

Commissioner Williams tendered his resignation to the President on Jan. 1, but was asked to remain at his post. He is the second man in the Federal service that Mr. Mitchell has sought, the first being Col. Goethals.

### GROUNDHOG TAKES A PEEK, THEN, BACK TO HIS HOLE!

According to This Dope We Will Have Six Weeks More of Cold Weather.

The groundhog's been out. He's in again. He came out of his hole and turned around and went right back again. He saw his shadow on the bright sunny morning, he sniffed the cool air and went back. This means that we will have six more weeks of winter—at least. It will be cold until the middle of March. You might fool the weather man, but the groundhog, never! He's the chap that regulates the length of the winter after Feb. 2.

### AIRMAN WHO LOOPS LOOP 14 TIMES IN THE AIR FOR KING GEORGE AND QUEEN



### TEN CENTS SAVED ON EVERY DOLLAR FOR TELEPHONING

First Fruit of Evening World's Fight Shown in Monthly Bills To-Day.

Telephone subscribers felt to-day the first benefit of the Evening World's fight to force the telephone company to lower its rates in this city. For to-day is bill day, and to thousands of homes came the telephone company's usual monthly bills.

There appeared on them the usual charge for last month's service and beneath this item the usual charge for extra toll service. And then underneath and stamped on the bill in purple ink appeared the new order: "Discount."

The Evening World's campaign against excessive telephone rates compelled the company to make a 10 per cent. discount, and every local service bill sent out to-day was just 10 per cent. lower than it would have been if the fight had not been made.

A notice tucked in the envelope with the bill stated: "Effective Feb. 1, 1914, a discount of 10 per cent. on charges for local service will be allowed New York City subscribers served under message rate contracts written at current standard schedules. Discount will be shown on the face of the bill."

And further along came the statement: "The discount will continue in effect until permanent rates have been established following an appraisal of our property, or until a change of rates is made by any authority having jurisdiction to do so."

The new discount does not apply on long-distance calls, suburban or interborough toll charges, flat rate service public telephone charges, charges for lines which are used in substitution of toll service, leased lines or interior systems or charges made under contracts at rates now obsolete. But it does apply on the kind of service that the average telephone subscriber uses and means a saving to him of ten cents on every dollar.

### SAILING TO-DAY.

Rotterdam, Madeira,..... 1 P. M.  
Princess Anne, Norfolk,..... 3 P. M.

### 300 WORKWOMEN STORM WILSON IN SUFFRAGE CAUSE

Wearing Garb of Their Different Trades They March on the White House.

MAKE PATHETIC PLEAS.

President Told of Their Hard Lives in Shop and Factory—Gives No Pledge of Vote.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—President Wilson gave no encouragement to-day to a delegation of three hundred working women who, clad in the garb of their different trades, marched on the White House with a brass band and flying colors to ask his support for a constitutional amendment enfranchising women.

Twenty-five of the women were received by the President, and five in short speeches presented their argument. The President reiterated that as leader of the Democratic Party he was limited only to recommending those things on which the party had made up its mind.

"We don't want you to break with your party, but we would like you to influence them," said Mrs. Glendower Evans of Boston, after the President had finished speaking.

"It isn't a question of breaking with the party," returned the President. "It is a question of speaking for it."

"Well, why not speak for it?" rejoined Mrs. Evans as the women laughed. "That's what we want. You have such tremendous power and can work miracles with it."

WILSON INVITES ALL THE WOMEN TO MEET HIM.

The President did not continue the discussion, but expressed a wish to meet the women who were waiting outside.

"But they told us we couldn't all come in," remarked Mrs. Evans. "It must be a misunderstanding," said the President, and he sent word out that he would like to have the delegation come in.

They came single file, passing in one door and out another. Some of the women declined to shake hands with the President, marching indifferently by, refusing to take his preferred hand.

At their exit Dr. Mary Walker, in male attire, argued with the women that suffrage was a State issue. She was not permitted to enter with the delegation.

The pleas of the working women were phrased eloquently, and with a touch of pathos and emotion as they described the hardships of women workers.

"Shaking and trembling," said Miss Margaret Hinchey of the laundry workers of New York, "we come to plead with you. You are so square and on the level and so much a real democrat that I appeal to you to wipe out the injustice that exists. We could help every Democrat if we had the vote."

Miss Mary Schneiderman, of New York, representing the capmakers, spoke with emotion of the hardships of women in mills and mines.

"We suffer side by side with the men," she said, "and in constant fear of losing our jobs." As she told of many cases of suffering the President's face showed his sympathetic interest.

"It is not a democracy when only half have something to say," contended Miss Melinda Scott of New Jersey, representing the capmakers' union.

"We will be glad if you will mention our cause in your next message." The last speaker was Miss Rose Winslow of Pennsylvania, representing the textile workers.

### Bayonne Pastor and Girl Who Says He Kissed Her



### BRENNER NEAR DEATH, HOPE OF HIS CURE GONE

Radium Treatment for Cancer Failing in Case of Congressman—Relatives With Him.

BALTIMORE, Md., Feb. 2.—Congressman Robert G. Brenner, who has been taking the radium treatment for cancer at Dr. Howard A. Kelly's sanatorium, is steadily sinking and all hope of his recovery has been abandoned.

Members of his family have been told that the end will come in a few days, perhaps in a few hours. His wife, his sister, Mrs. Helen Brenner, and three of his eight brothers are at his bedside.

Only the Congressman himself still hopes for recovery. He is unconscious the greater part of the time, but it is said that in his lucid moments the indomitable will that has characterized him all his life is manifested.

Congressman Brenner this afternoon rallied slightly and his brothers who are with him were cheered. Physicians at the Kelly sanatorium, however, are not so encouraged, and the New Jersey Representative is barely hanging to life by a thread.

### SUBMARINE "D-1" SAFE.

Craft at Galveston Got Repaired From Squadron in Storm.

GALVESTON, Tex., Feb. 2.—The submarine D-1, which failed to arrive here last night with the D-2, D-3, E-1 and E-2, came into the harbor early to-day. Stormy weather caused it to become separated from the four other submarines. The squadron is expected to sail for New Orleans Thursday.

### MYSTERIOUS GIRL STRANGELY BEATEN AND THEN ROBBED

Staggered Into Hallway of Rooming House and Shocks Her Landlady.

SHE ACCUSES TWO MEN.

Victim With Jaw Broken Says Men in Adjoining Room Attacked Her.

A beautiful girl, a brunette, about twenty years old, who took lodgings with Mrs. Jennie Rich at No. 154 West Twenty-first street on Wednesday, Jan. 31, was found by Mrs. Rich about 10 o'clock this morning staggering along the hall on the second floor, her face, neck and hands cut.

Her lower jaw was broken and, powerless to speak, the girl scribbled on a piece of paper:

"I have been assaulted and robbed by two men."

Later in the New York Hospital the ministrations of the surgeons enabled the girl to speak and she said that two young men whom she knew only as Mr. Smith and Mr. Kline and who occupied the front room on the second floor had attacked her. She said she had loaned one of them a book belonging to a girl friend, and desirous of returning it, had knocked at the door of their room about 8.15 o'clock.

KNOCKED GIRL DOWN, THEN ROBBED HER.

They admitted her and as she stepped inside she said one of them struck her on the head, knocking her to the floor half senseless. They then asked and beat her, took a diamond ring and a signet ring from her finger and some money from one of her stockings and left her senseless, her head wrapped in a towel which, the police believe, was soaked with ether and her skirts bunched over her head to soak up the blood from her wounds.

It was half an hour after Mrs. Rich had seen the young men leaving the house hurriedly, and had been told by them that they were hastening to keep an engagement at a vaudeville theatre, when the girl staggered into the hall and was seen by Mrs. Rich.

"What's the matter? For Heaven's sake, what has happened?" demanded the frightened landlady, but the girl collapsed on the floor, and, leaving her there, Mrs. Rich sped into the street calling for the police.

GIRL WROTE THAT SHE HAD BEEN ROBBED.

Detectives Moody and Dennison brought Dr. Farnham from New York Hospital when they answered Mrs. Rich's call and immediately tried to question the girl. It was she who, by signs, asked for paper and pencil and then wrote her brief note. Afterward she pointed to her neck, then to her fingers and finally to her stockings, as though to indicate that a necklace, rings and her money had been taken.

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### CASSIDY TRIAL ENDS AS BOSS CONFESSES RULING DELEGATES

Admits He Forced Nomination of Justices When Every Man in Convention Opposed His Candidates.

### BIG BOSS WEEPS ALOUD AS LAWYER MAKES SPEECH

Former Dictator of Queens Says "Open Enemies" Were Really His Secret Friends in Fights in 1911.

After conferring on the witness stand that he backed candidates in Queens, that he forced delegates to "nominate" men he had personally selected, "Curly Joe" Cassidy wept copious tears as Robert L. Moore addressed the jury this afternoon in behalf of Louis T. Walter Jr., Cassidy's co-defendant on the charge of selling a judicial nomination to William Willott Jr. in 1911.

Cassidy had previously told the jury that his word was law in political and primary conventions—that once he forced the nomination of Justice Scudder when every delegate in the hall was opposed to him.

Robert Elder, chief counsel for Cassidy, closed the arguments for the defense at 4.20 this afternoon, and after a brief recess, District Attorney Cressy opened for the State. The case may go to the jury to-night.

It was not until the closing sentences of Mr. Moore were delivered that "Curly Joe" showed what effect they were having upon him.

A great tear gathered in each of his eyes and rolled down his wide waistcoat, and from then until Mr. Moore wiped the perspiration from his own forehead and spread out his hands in a gesture of finality as he took his seat Joe Cassidy frankly cried. It was just at recess hour and by the time the juryman was filing out of court the Big Boss got control of himself, mopped his eyes with his handkerchief and was smiling as best he could.

WEPT AS LAWYER PLEADED WITH THE JURY.

The part of Mr. Moore's address which moved the hitherto iron man dealt with his earnest appeal to the juryman as men of fairness. He said:

"Suspicion can never take the place of evidence. You cannot convict my client because he is a friend of a politician. Cassidy is a practical politician, and it has become a common thing now to charge politicians with grafting. Here is a man who has lived all his life in Far Rockaway, and against his word, his honesty and his reputation there has never been a word. He and Cassidy are friends—old friends, good friends—and the District Attorney wants you to make this a cause of suspicion."

"No, gentlemen, we do not expect that you will entertain any such views as that, and when you finally go back to your homes, your wives and children, we know you want to feel that you have not been moved by suspicious circumstances in what you decided as jurymen about my client, Louis Walter."

COURT GAVE NO LIBERTIES TO THE PRISONERS.

The attention of Justice Jaycox was called this afternoon to the liberties Cassidy and Walter have enjoyed during their imprisonment in the Raymond Street Jail pending the conclusion of their trial. Justice Jaycox was told that Cassidy and Walter did not reach Raymond Street Jail until 10 o'clock Saturday night, although court was adjourned at six, and that they were out of jail yesterday from 3 o'clock in the afternoon until 11 last night.

"Was this by permission of the court?"

At the New York office of John W. Sterling, one of the trustees of the late Lord Strathcona's estate, all information was refused to-day regarding the claim of James H. Smith of Boston to be a Strathcona heir. Smith's wife said he was the son of Strathcona. Smith was mentioned in the will, but the designation of Sterling, Smith's attorney, as a trustee, was believed here to indicate that Smith has been provided for.

YALE GETS \$500,000 OF \$1,735,000 BEQUEST FROM LORD STRATHCONA

LONDON, Feb. 2.—Yale University benefits to the extent of \$500,000, under the will of the late Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, High Commissioner for Canada, who died on Jan. 21.

The Royal Victoria College at Montreal will receive an even larger sum, the statesman having bequeathed \$1,735,000 to it.

Lord Strathcona also leaves to St. John's College, Cambridge, \$50,000, to the University of Aberdeen for the creation of a chair of agriculture \$25,000, to the Presbyterian College at Montreal \$60,000 and to Queen's University, Kingston, Canada, \$100,000, making a total for educational purposes of \$1,735,000.

In addition to this sum Lord Strathcona bequeathed to the Royal Victoria Hospital at Montreal \$500,000, and to hospitals in the British Isles \$300,000. The fund for aged and infirm ministers of the Church of Scotland gets \$50,000.

Lord Strathcona settled his Scottish estates and \$2,500,000 in cash on the heirs succeeding to his titles, the first of whom is his daughter, to whom he also leaves the residue of his property.

The trustees of the will are Lord Strathcona's daughter, now Lady Strathcona; John W. Sterling of New York and William Garson and James Garson of Edinburgh, Scotland.

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### WOMEN OF PARISH STAND BY PASTOR ACCUSED BY GIRL

Appear in Court With Him, but Trial Is Postponed One Week.

Nearly all the women of the congregation of St. John's Episcopal Church in Bayonne, N. J., were at Recorder Hugh Mara's Court to-day to attend the trial of their pastor, the Rev. Scott Kidder, who is accused of improper conduct toward sixteen-year-old Ethel Paine, the daughter of a widow. The complaint was sworn out by the girl last week, but the pastor held services in his church as usual yesterday.

Dr. Kidder appeared at court today with George Mettam, one of the vestrymen of St. John's. They went into Recorder Mara's chambers and explained that Frederick E. Chamberlin, the lawyer who has been retained for the defense, was engaged in the trial of a case in Jersey City. Recorder Mara granted an adjournment of one week.

The complainant, her mother and her grandmother were in court, ready to testify, as was Capt. Edward M. Griffin of the Bayonne Detective Bureau.

The crowd in the Recorder's court to-day was favorably disposed toward the minister.

Mrs. Paine, who has been very ill, became hysterical when she learned that the case had been put over until next Monday. She has been a member of St. John's congregation for many years.

"This looks like an attempt to tire me out," she declared. "I have no money and no lawyer. Since my daughter swore out her complaint I have been ostracized by the congregation. But I shall keep right on, and I am sure there will be a different idea about Dr. Kidder when the facts are known."

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